



PACKING THANKSGIVING BASKET for distribution to needy families are members of the Junior Catholic Daughters of America, Court Our Lady of Victory No. 1344. Baskets will be filled by four junior troops and juniorettes and distributed by Father Joseph Lluent,

court chaplain. Pictured are, from left, Janice Harkins, Joan Bongard, Karen Durham and Mary Witte, Leader of the junior program for the court is Mrs. Roger Ste. Marie.

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Women

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LADY BANKERS TO SPONSOR FALL DANCE

"Harvest Moon Dance," sponsored by the Harbor District Chapter, American Institute of Banking, Women's Committee, will add spice to the fall season Saturday.

In the French Room of the Lafayette Hotel at Broadway and Linden, Long Beach, the get acquainted hour at 9 p.m. will precede dancing to the music of Jimmie Whetmore's Orchestra from 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Chuckwagon Breakfast will be served at 1 a.m.

Decor will accent the fall theme, according to Hermine Burg, women's committee chairman, and Gwen Geach, social chairman.

The Women's Committee assists in the promotion of the American Institute of Banking's Harbor District Chapter educational programs throughout the year.

Sewing Circles

By BECKY SCHAEFFER

The Seamstresses have had an exciting month, learning to cover shoes and to make dress forms. Would you like to have a perfect dress form at a cost of about \$1.50? Here's how it's done.

You'll need a friend to help you. Materials needed are one package (four yards) of cheese cloth and a roll of two inch and one of one inch paper packing tape.

Be sure you are feeling well enough to stand on your feet for perhaps an hour. If your friend wants a form for herself, it would be wise to plan to work on different days. Don your best foundation garment,

and while the form is being made, don't slump. There won't be a chance to sit down and rest.

Wearing only your foundation garments, fold the cheesecloth in half, then in half again. At the second fold, cut the cloth in a cross-wise slit large enough to slip your head through.

Slip this over your head so that a yard of doubled material falls in front and one in back.

Now begin to apply the paper tape. It will have to be moistened as you go, so a wet sponge is handy. It is also a help to have many strips of tape already cut, as hands will be wet. Beginning with a narrow piece of tape around the neck, secure the cheesecloth in place. Don't worry if the cloth pulls and bunches a little, though excess thickness should be avoided.

As the tape is applied, you will find that it is necessary to use two shorter pieces to go around the body, because the slope of hip and back prevent the tape's lying flat. Very short strips may be needed around the bust or across the chest.

At the shoulders, tape should be put on vertically, coming up from the back, over the shoulder and down across the chest toward the center of the body.

When tape has been plastered on solidly from neck to below the hips, you'll feel as though you're encased in plaster.

Have your friend take a pair of bandage scissors (if you don't have bandage scissors, be sure your friend has a steady hand) and starting from the lower edge in the center of the back, cut upward to the neck. If shoulders are well covered, it may be necessary to slit them.

Take your form out to the garage, tape the back together without overlapping and spray or brush on shellac. Lacquer is also good, but you don't want thick paint, as the paper would soon buckle and peel.

If you have an old dress form, your new one may be mounted over it or you may use the old stand.

Otherwise, a broomstick, with your form fastened to it at the neck and (with strings crisscrossing) at the bottom may be used, with an X base such as is used for Christmas trees.

Or, if you choose, you can simply use the form sitting on a desk or chair. And if you gain or lose weight, \$1.50 is really very little to lose!

Be sure to use your best foundation garment, get a friend who cuts carefully (we didn't have any accidents, and we did forms for three girls) and stand up straight! Good luck!



BECKY

Education Study To Be Continued

South Bay University Women will continue their study of education at a meeting to be held at 8 p.m. tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Joel Buckholtz, 2729 Palos Verdes Drive North.

Topic for discussion will be elementary education as offered in private and public schools, according to Mrs. Reginald Legge, president.

Speakers will be Miss Evelyn Dawn, who heads the new Country Day School in Rolling Hills, and Mrs. Wayne Shaw, whose sixth grade class in the Caroldale School of the Los Angeles system is a demonstration unit for training of education students from Long Beach State College.

Persons wishing to attend are invited to contact Mrs. Buckholtz at FR 5-8239.

Marymount Lecturer To Discuss Music

Dr. Ernest Kanitz, distinguished American composer, will discuss "Music and Its Listeners in Our Time" at 7:30 p.m. today at Marymount College.

The lecture will be the second in a series of eight monthly gatherings. Dr. Kanitz will outline philosophical trends and historical events as they apply to

Dr. Kanitz, who recently completed a symphony which he has titled "Sinfonia Seria," will cover the musical picture from 1914 to the present in terms applicable to the professional musician as well as the general listener.

The lecture will be in the lounge of St. Gertrude's Hall on the Palos Verdes Estates campus. There is no admission charge.



BLACK AND GOLD dinner dance plans are completed by members of the Bishop Montgomery High School Mother's Club, who will stage the sixth annual ball Saturday, Nov. 30. Setting for the event will be the Fort

MacArthur Officers' Clubhouse in San Pedro. Pictured are, from left, Mmes. Frank Gompert, chairman; Charles Bongard, decorations chairman; and James Bemis.

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HANUKKAH HANDICRAFTS

Holiday handicraft ideas for Hanukkah will be demonstrated by Jolaine, gift and handicraft specialist, at a meeting of Hollypark B'nai B'rith Women to be held at 8:30 p.m. Monday at the Great Western Savings and Loan Assn., Gardena. Transportation chairman is Mrs. Jerbert Schwartz of 13007 Gramercy Pl.

Tickets at \$2.75 may be reserved by calling Mrs. William Kuykendall, fashion show chairman, at FR 1-3095, or Mrs. Phillip Adams, ticket chairman, at FR 1-6247.

Officers Club To Be Setting Of Annual Ball

Bishop Montgomery High School's Mothers' Club will celebrate its sixth annual Black and Gold Ball at the Fort McArthur Officers Clubhouse in San Pedro, Saturday, Nov. 30.

Cocktails will precede a steak dinner to be served at 7:30 p.m. Dancing will follow until 1 a.m.

First Vice President Mrs. F. P. Gompert of Torrance is general chairman of the event. Mrs. Frank Chamberlin of Hermosa Beach has been named door prize chairman, and Mrs. Robert Bongard of Torrance will supervise the decorating committee.

Tickets will be handled by Mrs. C. L. Fox of Manhattan Beach, club president. Other club officers and chairmen will serve as hostesses.

Purpose of the annual event is to welcome new parents to the high school.



TABLE DECORATIONS for today's Fall Fashion Festival are given last-minute check by, from left, Mmes. Arthur Felsher, program chairman; William Kuykendall, fashion show chairman; and Richard Bungarden,

raffle chairman, of St. James Council of Catholic Women. The 8 p.m. dessert event will be at the Jump 'n Jack Restaurant, 2880 Pacific Coast Highway. Admission is \$2.75 per person.

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PTA News

OPEN HOUSE

"Opening New Doors to Education" was the theme for the 223rd Street School open house.

Mrs. Thomas E. Millard, president, presided at a short business meeting following classroom visits.

Mrs. Marie Lorenz, principal, introduced the teachers and vice principals, Lee Weinberg and Howard Nelson. Mrs. Edgar Formanek, United Way chairman, reported on the drive.

Cub Scout Pack 755C, Den 1, under den mother Mrs. Willard, Hober, led the pledge of allegiance. Participating were Chris Hober, Jeffrey Cesmat, Michael Woods, Ricky Knox and Gary Smith.

Hosts were: Edgar Formanek, Bill Librecht and Thomas Millard.

MAGIC SHOW

Larry Nelson, "The Children's Magician," will present his all new "Children's Magic Show" at Halldale Ave. School on Wednesday, Nov. 27.

Aided by his bird and animal assistants, he will present such mysteries as "Birds of the Air," "The Haunted Barn," "The Three Chipmunks," "Rocket To the Moon," "Peter Rabbit Goes to Town," "Tere, There, Or Where," "The Clowning Kats," and many others. Admission is 35 cents.

Parents and pre-school children are invited. Performances will be at 9:10, 10:50, and 1:10 in the auditorium.

SUPPORT PHILANTHROPIES

Two-thirds of the 37 units that comprise the Torrance Council PTA voted to support the council milk and lunch fund and the Scholarship Fund, at their recent meeting, held in the First Christian Church, according to Mrs. James Orr, president. These are only two of the philanthropic ventures of this organization.

Dr. J. H. Hull, superintendent of schools of Torrance Unified School District, spoke briefly on the tax override election, to be held on February 4, 1964. The council executive board voted that each unit bring the question of supporting the override tax to its association, and report at the regular meeting in December.

Mrs. Robert Schrauben was elected to fill the vacancy of third vice president, director of department of health. Chairmen ratified were Mrs. William Martin, music, and Mrs. W. Y. Wells, publicity.

Mmes. H. S. Rogers, Perry Baker, M. K. Sullivan, Mark Wright, Joe Tinkerberg, and F. G. Quattrini were elected to serve on the committee, with Mrs. C. R. Peterson, chairman, to select recipients for the Council H. L. M. awards, to be presented in February.

Mrs. Perry Baker, council

director of communications, was appointed recently to serve as newsette or bulletin chairman for the Thirty-Third District PTA.

PERVERSION FOR PROFIT

The November Association meeting of Hickory School will be held today in the cafeteria. Mrs. Lynn Shidler, from the Central Instructional Staff of the Torrance School District, will discuss the film, "Perversion for Profit," and will aid parents in the selection children's literature. Mrs. Harley Gray will preside.

A paper drive will be held at the school Tuesday, Nov. 26. Mrs. R. Anderson, ways and means chairman, will be in charge. Persons unable to bring their papers to school are asked to place them on the parkways for pickup.

Hickory children attended the movie "Adventures of Robinson Crusoe" Saturday.

Forthcoming movies include: "Hansel and Gretel," January 18, "Gulliver's Travels," March 14, and "Heidi" on May 16. Films will be shown at 1:30 p.m. and refreshments will be available, according to Mrs. T. H. Carter and Mrs. Bob Houston, movies chairmen.

EDUCATION PROBLEMS

"Current Problems in Education" was the topic discussed by Dr. Dave Schwartz at the first Parent Teacher Association meeting at Fleming Junior High School. The 148 members who were in attendance were also entertained with three numbers each from the Girls and Boys Glee Clubs.

Mrs. Helen Scott, United Way chairman, and Mrs. Edward Alves, magazine chairman, spoke.

The ladies of the Harbor City area were hostesses.

JUVENILE AND LAW

"Juvenile and Law," will be discussed by a police officer at a meeting of Madison PTA this evening under the supervision of Lieutenant Rethwesch of the Torrance Juvenile Bureau at 17515 Amie St., according to Mrs. William Dickson, president.

Graham Buck seventh and eighth grade teacher, will present the Student Council. Officers will be introduced by Steve Stillman, student president.

A paper drive will be held on Dec. 2 and a rummage sale in February. Mrs. Roland Phillips, ways and means chairman, will accept donations at 371-9430.

Songs will be rendered by the special girls chorus and the boys in Miss Carol Anderson's sixth grade class.

Troop 953, Den C, will conduct the flag ceremony.

Hostesses will represent Mrs. Daphne Yassir's room and Mrs. Mary Farmer's room.

Fashions to Be Shown After Evening Dessert

Fashions for every occasion will be featured by St. James Council of Catholic Women at the Fall Fashion Festival this evening at the Jump 'n Jack Restaurant, 2880 Pacific Coast Hwy.

Dessert will be served at 8 p.m. followed by a display of fashions from Ly' Betts, Beach Maternity, Styles of Hawaii, all of Rolling Hills Plaza, and the Necessity Shop in Hollywood Riviera.

Mrs. Hugh Cahill is show commentator, coordinator is Mrs. Jack Poe.

Gold and white decorations will highlight the tables at the event which is being sponsored by the Southwood area of the Women's Council.

Decorations are under the direction of Mrs. John Roth and Mrs. John Dils.

Other chairmen include Mmes. Richard Bungarden,

SILVER TEA

The Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet were honored at a silver tea from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, in the St. Lawrence Martyr School Hall.

The sisters staff St. Lawrence School at 1950 Prospect Ave., Redondo Beach.

Mrs. Lucas Akana headed the Silver Tea committee assisted by Mmes. Donald Hoffman and Frederick Brierley and members of St. Lawrence Parish Council.

Members and friends of St. Lawrence Martyr Parish have been invited to attend.